IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Washington D.C. 20231

In re application of:)		
ARTHUR C. PERRY)	Examiner:	Javier G. Blanco
)	Art Unit:	3774
Serial No.: 10/728,066)		
Filed: December 3, 2003))		
For: ORBITAL IMPLANT COATING	<u> </u>		
HAVING DIFFERENTIAL DEGRADATION)		
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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed **November 6, 2007**, please amend the application as indicated below: